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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1888

In the death of Roscoe Conkling this morning the nation is called upon to mourn the loss of one of its greatest and most brilliant sons. His varied career, his political mistakes, are known to all, and while many will condemn his course in political matters none will fail to award him the merit and praise which his great attainments, spotless integrity and patriotism entitle him to. Peace to his ashes.

THERE can be no question, says the Eureka *Sentinel*, that Senator Stewart is making himself immensely popular with all the people of the Pacific Coast. Through his great energy and ability he has pushed himself right into the hearts of his immediate constituents here in Nevada, irrespective of party. Words in praise of him are to be heard on every hand. No other man in Washington is so frequently and so favorably quoted by the San Francisco press as Senator Stewart. His measures and speeches and opinions are referred to by all the papers, and quite frequently form the basis of leading editorials on current public questions. There can be no question that the people of this State and coast like a man of activity and ability. In this view they feel a just pride in the efforts of Senator Stewart. In common with the great mass of his fellow-citizens we accord to him in the highest degree the position of usefulness and industry in the discharge of the duties incumbent upon every representative of the people. A close observer of public men once said to us of Senator Stewart, in connection with his former Senatorial career, that he was the ablest and most influential member of that body at that time. The estimate may or may not have been too high, but it is quite certain that the Senator is starting off in a way to make himself felt during his present term. We are always glad to be able truthfully to say graceful things of public men, because their lot is usually a hard one, and their efforts in the main are never half appreciated by those they serve. Senator Stewart is a good and useful public servant of the State.

JOHN LAWRENCE SULLIVAN has announced his intention of soon leaving the ring. He is not going to return to barkeeping; nor he, but he proposes, cheered by the example of our friend of the Millionnaire and Express, to assume the chief management of some "great Boston daily." What the name of the paper that is to be so honored may be John L. has not yet developed. It is needless to say that the editorial fraternity in Boston are in a tremendous state of excitement to know whose head is to fall before John's triumphant advance in journalism.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Nobel, the inventor of dynamite, is dead.

John Baring, the banker, member of the firm of Baring Bros., London, is dead.

The *Independent Belge* reports the establishment of a Regency for Belgian immigrants.

Captain Andrews of Boston is preparing a 14-foot canoe in which to cross the Atlantic.

At last it is settled that Secretary Bayard is to marry Mrs. Folsom, the mother-in-law of President Cleveland.

The State Department is advised that the Chinese Government is moving toward shutting out imported potteries.

Vice-President Bond of the St. Paul railroad denies the story that the company intends to extend its line to California.

Major-General Howard feels confident he will be assigned to the command of the Division of Missouri, and that General Crook will be assigned to the Division of the Pacific.

The New York Senate on Monday passed (18 to 10) an amendment to the Constitution prohibiting the sale or manufacture of liquors in that State. There was little debate on the measure.

It is reported in Washington that Senator Beck will be married in the summer to a daughter of Dr. Mandell, of Louisville. The lady is widow Henderson, and wealthy. Senator Beck is 66 years old, but a remarkably healthy man. He has been a widower for fifteen months.

To Harry His Ward.  
SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—William D. Carlisle applied at the marriage license office to-day for a license to marry his ward, Miss Sarah J. Urte. Mrs. Carlisle recently obtained a divorce from her husband, and all the parties figured in a domestic scandal at Napa a short time ago which created considerable of a sensation.

A Texas Assassination.  
SAN LOUIS, April 18.—Thomas M. Kennedy, a wealthy cattle dealer of Brownsville, Texas, was killed by Sheriff Jose Maria Esparza, a wealthy Mexican, near Jerry Landing, Texas. The cause was jealousy. The Mexican was concealed behind a tree when he fired.

## OVER THE WIRES.

Conkling Vanquished by Death.

The Mills Tariff Bill Under Fire.

Arrest of a Winnemucca Thief in San Francisco.—The Sharon Estate in Court—Etc.

## CONKLING DEAD.

The Great Politician and Lawyer At Rest.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Dr. Barker called at 9:15, and remained until 4:45. He said: "Conkling is slowly sinking, but may linger for hours yet. He is unconscious and suffering no pain, so that there is no wear upon the tissues, and as the vital powers of some men are greater than others there is no knowing how long he may linger—he may live until morning. His pulse is now 140, temperature 102, respiration 60."

All the afternoon the sick statesman lay motionless in his bed in the Hoffman House annex. He occasionally moved his arms, which were under the bed covering. He lay on his right side, in order that the wound on the left side of his head might not get irritated. It will, it will be understood, be the last act made when he operated in the endeavor to save the ex-Senator's life.

At 9:10 P. M. Ed Stokes came out of the house and said that Conkling was sinking very rapidly. His death was merely a question of time.

Large crowds congregated in the street through the evening, owing to the bulletins announcing that the end was near. Fragmented politicians and members of the bar were gathered in the corridors of the Hoffman House discussing the abilities of the dying ex-Senator and inquiring the latest news. Every one was anxious to get information, and yet feared that at any moment it would be learned that the end had come.

A sorrowful group surrounded the sick man's bed. Mrs. Conkling, whose vigil has been beyond the endurance of any strong woman, and who had watched her husband incessantly, was at his side looking worn and despondent. His nephews, Judge Alfred C. Cox and Alderman Conkling, and brother, Col. Fred A. Conkling, and Mrs. Oakum were sorrowful observers of the passing away of the great Senator.

The strong frame that in delirium roared the wildest portent of Hoffman is held him even while wasted by disease, now low and almost lifeless in the hands of the Great Destroyer. His breathing was weak and difficult.

The Ex-Senator Dead.  
NEW YORK, April 18.—Conkling died at 1:52 A. M.

At the bedside of the dying man were Mrs. Conkling, Judge Cox, Dr. and Mrs. Oakum. Mr. Conkling passed away without moving a limb; he looked as though he was in a peaceful sleep. There were number of persons outside, on the street, waiting to catch the last reports, and within doors were between forty and fifty persons also waiting to hear the worst. They were composed chiefly of representatives of the press and friends of the dead Senator.

A DREADFUL STRUGGLE.  
Mr. Conkling died in the rear chamber on the second floor of his residence. "It was a dreadful struggle that the patient fought against death," said Judge Cox, "but the end was peaceful and unaccompanied by pain. His sorrowing wife and daughter were weeping, but the room was silent. Sacre was grieved and set. Mrs. Conkling and her daughter bore up bravely, but the wife was almost prostrated."

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the election of General Boulanger in the Department of the Nord shows the country wearied out and profoundly disgusted with the conduct and policy of the government. A majority of the electors, it says, can no longer endure a government which does not govern, but leaves the country a prey to the vacillations and dissensions of politicians and tyrants of electoral committees. The opportunity is seized to hold a conference at Bourg-en-Bresse last evening, but were disturbed by supporters of General Boulanger, and were compelled to suspend proceedings.

## THE CHINESE.

Belmont Prepares a Bill Looking to Their Exclusion.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Representative Belmont, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, has prepared a bill to carry out the provisions of the new Chinese treaty, which he will introduce in the House as soon as possible. It is understood that the bill was prepared after a consultation with State Department officials, and is to have Secretay Bayard's approval. The object of the framers of the bill has been to secure the objects of the new treaty, presented by the people of the Pacific Coast. The bill proposes that from and after the date of passage it shall be unlawful for any Chinese person, whether a subject of China or any other power, to enter the United States, with the exception of officers, teachers, students, merchants or travelers for pleasure or curiosity.

## BAYARD'S BACKBONE.

He Will Not Protest Against Any Action of Foreign Powers.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The State Department has received no information regarding the hoisting of the British flag over Christmas, Fanning and Penrhyn islands. The United States lays claim to but one island in the Pacific, which is held by right of discovery. It is stated, therefore, that if the British have taken possession of the above mentioned islands, this government could do more than protest, even if their occupation was worth this effort. It is stated that correspondence between the country and Germany relative to the seizure of the Samoan Islands still continues, and the chances are that if the Germans do not move out of their own accord the American government will take no active steps to dispossess them.

## A Heavy Flood.

ALMA, Wis., April 18.—The water in the Mississippi river at this point has risen twenty inches in twelve hours. Twenty families have been driven from their homes, and railway tracks have suffered great damage. The Minnesota bridge has been cut, and 2,60,000 feet of logs have been carried away. The damage to property is estimated at \$50,000. Logs to the value of \$100,000 have been swept away.

## The Sharon Estate.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—The Sharon trustees filed in the office of the Clerk of the United States Circuit Court to-day a bill of revision, to prevent the retention of the estate of Superior and Supreme Courts in the matter of overhauling the private accounts of the late William Sharon. The action is entitled "Francis G. Newlands, a citizen of New York, trustee of William Sharon and heirs."

## Making Good Indians.

LAS CRUCES, N. M., April 17.—While two Indian policemen attempted to arrest Sacate, a Mescalero Apache Indian, and his son, who were drunk and causing trouble in the camp, a fight ensued, in which one of the Indians was killed. Sacate's son was fatally and three women seriously injured by stray shots. Sacate was finally secured and locked up.

## A Winnebago Thief Captured.

REDWOOD CITY, Cal., April 17.—The jury in the case of L. A. Powell charged with the murder of R. S. Smith, were discharged this morning, having failed to agree. They stood seven for acquittal and five for conviction of murder in the first degree.

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350 Ophir, \$14
100 Mexican, 4 90
440 Gould & Curry, 4 14
240 Best & Belcher, 5 14, 5 14
305 Con Va, 13 1/2, 13 1/2
120 Savage, 5 14
620 Churchill, 5 1/2, 5 1/2, 6 1/2
50 Pease, 5 1/2
735 Hale & Norcross, 9 1/2, 9 1/2
450 Point, 5 1/2, 5 1/2
310 Jacket, 8, 8 1/2, 8 1/2
10 Imperial, 8
600 Alpha, 2 70, 2 65
780 Belcher, 7 1/2, 7 1/2
525 S Nevada, 4 1/2, 4 1/2
200 Utah, 1 80
300 Bullion, 1 85
120 Laramie, 1 70
600 S Belcher, 5 1/2, 5 1/2
700 Overman, 2 25, 2 45
100 Justice, 1 35
10 Kentuck, 3 90
70 Confidence, 40, 39 1/2
100 Union, 4 00
50 S Hill, 70c
545 Challenge, 9 1/2, 9 1/2
400 Occidental, 1 90, 1 90
150 Gold & Silver, 600
200 Scorpion, 1 50
100 Iowa, 1
620 Baltimore, 75c
500 New York, 65, 70, 75c
430 Keyes, 2
100 Cos Pacific, 15c
200 Peer, 70c
100 L. & S., 2 50
250 Crook, 1 55
300 Pearsall, 1 55
200 Weldon, 75c
200 Locomotive, 25c

### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

DETRO HOTEL—H. Lowden, Ed F Murphy, M. Levi, H. A. Clark and wife, E. McBeth, D. Brian, San Francisco; R. G. Heins, U.S. Army; F. Conn and wife, Columbus; E. Tando; H. Yerdington, W. C. Dovey, Carson; G. Shadick; C. F. Ferguson, Palladio; M. D. Foley, Eureka; Mrs. Lizzie French, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, New York; H. Sundstrand and wife, Novato; C. L. Garland; Sierra valley; Dr. C. M. E. Prentiss and wife, N. Y.; Miss Bailey; F. M. Fellow, Winnemucca; F. Rockwell, Ogden; B. C. Maris, Reno; Miss Jones, Wadsworth; B. C. Walrath, Nevada; R. C. Boiger, Ill.

PALACE HOTEL—Mrs. Whitmore, Carson; Theo Brandon, Churchill; Gile Blood, Austin; B. Monroe, J. G. Wadsworth, Virginia City; Dr. Stockton, J. W. Merritt, Tuscaro; M. Stelling, W. Stelling, Reno; Oscar Gardie, S. Franks, Truckee; Joe Long, Wadsworth; S. S. Lapoint, Michigan; J. W. Renard, N. M.; W. J. Hopkins, Sacramento; C. H. Lewison, J. B. Barry, San Diego;

### BORN.

SOUTHWORTH—In Carson, April 8, 1888, to the wife of Dr. S. Southworth, a son, William Lowell, April 9, to the wife of George Hill of Wadsworth, a daughter.

### MARRIED.

BERK—HILLER—In Winnemucca, April 14, at the residence of Col. F. D. Sweetser, by Rev. E. V. McEvoy, George Berk to Miss Louise Heller.

### JOTTINGS.

Ask Bob Christy what Amole means.

Rebes, whips and harness, farm wagons and buggies at Longbaugh's.

If you want to know what real comfort is, supply yourself with one of those stylish White House suits.

Call on Leeper when in need of harness, whips, robes, saddles, etc. Shop on Sierra street, near Fourth, Reno.

W. Pinniger, the Reno druggist, has on sale in quantities to suit matured Thistle Dew whisky for medicinal purposes.

For good wood, a full cord guaranteed, go to Haynes & Alger. Leave orders at Ruhe's butchershop or Nelson's cigar store.

W. M. Havens keeps the choicest brands of tea and coffee in the market. A supply of Booth's succulent bivalves just received.

R. Herz is not only carrying a complete stock of the latest styles of jewelry, but is doing cleaning and repairing as low as it can be done anywhere.

C. A. Thurston keeps smokers' articles of all kinds. The best five-cent cigar in the market he keeps. Pens, pencils, paper, books, and all periodicals in profusion.

Instead of sweating over your sawbuck with a dull saw, buy some of J. F. Aitken's dry stove wood, cut any length wanted. He is also retailing pure mountain ice.

By manufacturing his own candles, C. J. Brooks is never obliged to palm off a stale paste article on his customers. He keeps the best five-cent cigar in town.

J. Becker has a cold lunch set at all hours, but between 11:30 and 2:30 each day there is a hot lunch spread, which is served free with a glass of Boo or Sacramento beer.

Advertised Letters.

Following is a list of advertised letters remaining uncalled for in the Reno, Nevada, Postoffice, Saturday, April 14, 1888:

Asher, Ids. Kelly, Nellie

Aspinwall, G. Lodge, Thomas

Bones, H. H. Marker, F. N.

Barkley, Ed Meyer, Geo.

Bidder, Dave McGraw, A. J.

Bruce, Major Pentler, Miss E.

Campbell, Mary Phillips, Mrs. G.

Crowder, John Peterson, P. S.

Eckbush, Lizzie Potterton, Mrs. L.

Fanagan, Jas. P. Rogan, Jas. A.

Fanning, A. H. Riley, One-eyed

Ferguson, W. Rich, E.

Gladwin, E. C. Richards, Mrs. W.

Hall, Mrs. K. E. Russell, Wiley

Harris, John P. Rothe, Lewis

Hager, D. Sugo, Miss J.

Hargrove, J. W. Sappo, Geo.

Hickok, A. S. Sharp, Geo.

Hughes, Joe Spencer, Mrs. E. M.

Hurley, Michel Spiller, Calvin

Isaac, Mrs. Studmier, Mrs. G.

Jones, Mrs. J. Williams, G.

Knevel, B. N. Wyland, T. C.

### J. C. HAGEMAN, P. M.

Irritation of the Throat and all lung troubles are quickly relieved and permanently cured by Fryer's Abietene Cough Balsam. (It contains no Opium.) Price, 25c. Sold by W. F. Phillips. All genuine Abietene preparations bear the incisive signature of D. G. Fryer.

A perfectly sound body and a mind untroubled are secured only with pure blood. Lessing's new patent elixir, doses Ayer's Balsam will be the best blood purifying medicine in existence. It easily insures the working and productive powers of both head and body.

### THE RIO BONITO SALE.

SIX HUNDRED ACRES BRING FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

In company with thirty-five others from Chico, a representative of this paper last Saturday morning boarded the train and was soon landed at the thriving town of Biggs. There we met the large company which had come up on the midnight train from below to attend the great auction sale. Messrs. Preble & Young, proprietors of Rio Bonito, had every detail already arranged and everybody was soon provided with conveyance, and we rolled over a smooth road a few miles out to the lands of the Rio Bonito colony. A rapid turn around and through the lands in all directions gave good opportunity for persons to see all parts. Finally the company assembled at the immense oak near the margin of Feather river where the auction was to take place. There were many present from Oroville, and the surrounding country turned out en masse. A splendid barbecue was ready prepared, which was cooked by masters of the art. The early morning ride and the rural surroundings created good appetite, and the company feasted in earnest. Yet there was plenty and to spare.

The auction of lots was not quite so spirited as could have been desired, but good prices were obtained and a good share of the land was sold. Some six hundred acres were sold at auction and other tracts at private sale. The land is in variety, part of it being red land, extending up on the plains to the west of the river, and part being alluvial bottom land nearer the stream. The red lands sold at from \$40 to \$70 per acre, and the bottom land at from \$70 to \$90. These are not high prices, but are very satisfactory. It is the boast of Butte county that she furnishes fine soil a quality of soil can anywhere be found at half the price, which is elsewhere demanded. It is thought that when these moderate rates are made known the demand for these very excellent lands will be largely increased.

Many tracts in Rio Bonito are also being improved. There is a tract of sixty acres fenced and all set out in olive, owned by J. A. Filmore and Dr. C. T. Dean. Several others have their tracts set in various fruits. When we consider that this colony was started only two months ago, the vigor with which it has been developed, and the amount of improvement made, are truly astonishing. Another excursion will shortly be arranged.

CARSON TRIBUNE: W. M. Cary is said to be very ill at the Arlington House, and report has it that he has tendered his resignation as Fish Commissioner.

The many friends of Mrs. Alt, the well-known dancing teacher, will be pleased to learn that she is rapidly improving and her entire recovery is only a question of a short time.

The marriage of Hugh Vail of Churchill county to Miss Edith Rising, daughter of Judge Rising, took place in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Virginia City, to-day at noon.

Homer Butler, a member of the chin-gang, eluded the vigilant eye of Deputy Sheriff Hayes yesterday and took French leave. To-day he was arrested at the Pyramid House by Officer Thrall and returned to his old quarters.

The practice of dumping shells on Virginia street should be discontinued. Myriads of flies are attracted thereby, and the stench arising from the decomposing mollusks is very disagreeable to passing pedestrians and store-keepers in the vicinity.

Justice Young's docket shows the following: Frank Cobb, 30 days for being drunk and disorderly; Homer Butler, 10 days for vagrancy; William Holland, 30 days for being drunk and disorderly; Indian Naches, drunk, case continued; John Carpenter, disturbing the peace, released on his own recognizance; John Anderson Doe, drunk and disorderly, \$10.

NEWS FOR THE AFFLICTED.

Dr. Prentiss, the Great Specialist, on His Annual Tour.

Dr. Prentiss, the eminent specialist, arrived from New York this morning on his way to Virginia City, where he will be engaged in practicing his profession from the 20th to the 25th inst. The doctor is not a stranger in Nevada, having practiced here for some months last year, during which time he made some most remarkable and successful operations.

He has letters from many of his patients testifying to the success of his treatment, and among them being Chat Roberts, whose cure from deafness is considered miraculous; James McEstee of Empire, cured of strabismus; George Keeler of Virginia, both of whose eyes were straightened at one operation and Mrs. J. Elkin of Virginia. The latter's husband is dead.

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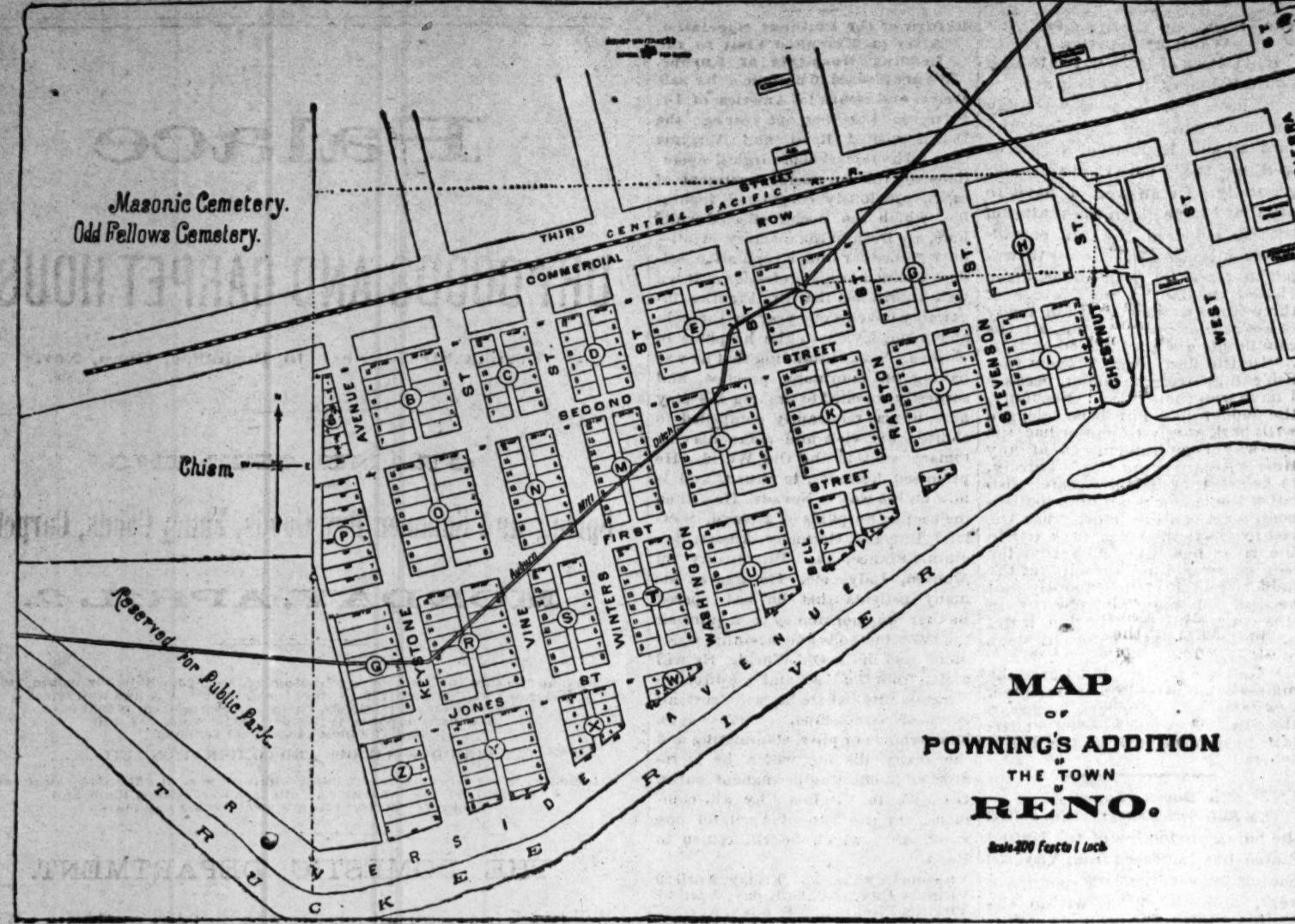
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